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In response to the Notice of Allowability with an Examiner's Amendment dated August 25, 2004 (paper no. 22), which was included with a Notice of Allowance and and Fee(s) Due seting a deadline of November 26, 2004 to pay the issue fee and the publication fee, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.